

Map Activity Instructions

Will was given a map with directions to reach the White Mountains. Group students in teams and use maps of Mansfield, UConn or MMS and give students a starting point and a destination. Give them a limited amount of time to plot a course from their starting place to the destination.

Route 1: MMS to Olsen Drive

Route 2: Cafeteria to Room 310 (explain where the stairs would be)

Route 3: Planetarium to the UConn Coop

Route 4: Eagleville Pond to Lion's Club Memorial Park

Group students into teams and give instructions on where to start, but do not say where the destination is. Students must try to follow the directions to reach the destination before the other teams- or before time is up!

UConn Map:

Turn left out of the EOSmith parking lot

Turn right at Grange East Residence hall

Bear right and end at the last building on the right. Which building is it? (Commisary Warehouse)

Mansfield Map:

Start out on Coventry Road going toward the railroad tracks.

Take a right after Fern Rd. and then your first right.

Take a left at the 7th road you come to.

Follow that road until can't go straight anymore. Take a right.

Take your first left and end at the end of that road. Where are you? (Mansfield Animal Shelter)

MMS Map:

take a left out of 217 and then take your first right.

Take your second left, then a second left again.

End at the 3rd room on the right. Which room is it? (202)

Feel free to make your own directions and challenges if the students are enjoying this activity!